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Applicant:

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Title:

POS REGISTERING SYSTEM CAPABLE OF CHANGING A SALES ITEM

TO ANOTHER SALES ITEM WITH SIMPLE OPERATION

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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION **TRANSMITTAL**

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Sir:

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### Enclosed are:

- Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (69 pages). [ X ]
- Formal drawings (17 sheets, Figures 1-18). [ X ]
- Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 pages). [ X ]
- Assignment of the invention to NEC CORPORATION. [ X ]
- Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet. [ X ]
- [ X ] Claim for Convention Priority w/ one priority document
- Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages). [X]
- Form PTO-1449 with copies of 4 listed reference(s). [ X ]

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